

A BEE LINE TO PIGGLY WIGGLY

... IS THE SHORTEST WAY
TO A HONEY OF SAVINGS!

Prices Good Friday & Saturday, December 5th & 6th

Fresh Cut		BACON		OYSTERS		GROUND BEEF	
PORK CHOPS		Swift's Oriole Sliced lb.		Fancy Standard Pint		Strictly Fresh lb.	
39c		39c		69c		49c	

Always a family favorite		Fills the Bill or nothing will		Fresh from the Sea to You		Let's Have a Hamburger	
Sirloin, T-Bone, Rib, Round, Baby Beef		For Pan or Pot		lb. Rip or Brisket		lb.	
Steak lb.		Chuck Roast		49c		Stew Beef	
69c		49c		29c			

Juicy Fla. 8 lb Bag		35c		Extra Savings Here..	
ORANGES		5c		Sure Good	
Canadian lb.		5c		lb.	
RUTABAGAS		29c		OLEO	
Wash. State Del. lb		19c		3 lb Pkg.	
APPLES		39c		39c	
China Doll		39c		12 oz Can	
RICE		39c		PREM	
Swift's		39c		79c	
No. 1 Cobbler		10 lbs		Songstress Frozen Foods	
Potatoes		43c		5 Packages	
Extra Fancy Pink Slicing		lb.		LIMA BEANS	
Tomatoes		23c		GREEN BEANS	
Hi-Ball		25 lb		Mixed Vegetables	
FLOUR		\$1.79		GREEN PEAS	
				Whole kernel Cori.	
				Holsum	
				Pint	
				MAYONNAISE	
				29c	
				TIDE	
				Diamond	
				80 Count	
				NAPKINS	
				69c	
				10c	

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THE MOST FAMOUS NAME IN FOODS

Elba, Alabama

CLASSIFIED AD SECTION

STRAY HOGS
I have five stray hogs at my place. Owner may have them by paying claim and for ad. E. L. Moore, New Brockton, R. 1, 4th Dec. 4-25

HELP WANTED
Man or woman to take over route in Elba to distribute Watkins' National Advertiser. Full or part time. Earning unlimited. No car or other investment necessary. We will help you get started. Write, Mr. C. R. Ruble, Dept. D-1, The J. R. Watkins Company, Memphis, Tenn. 11p

FOR RENT
One bedroom furnished apartment. Mrs. Will Brunson. 21p Nov. 27-Dec. 4

FOR SALE
One Hotpoint electric stove, apartment size, used very little. \$100.00. See Hollis Davis, 502 Bedford St., Elba, 21p Nov. 27-Dec. 4

FOR SALE OR RENT
Good used refrigerators for sale or rent. Easy Pay Tire Store. 11p

FOR RENT
Three room furnished apartment. Has oil heat, hot water. 11p

Airline Hostess
Elba to Mary
M. & Mrs. George Albert, 1100 Western Springs, Ill., announce the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Mae, to Francis Wayland Young, son of Mr. & Mrs. Alton Wayland Young of Elba.

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About People and Things

By C. B. McDowell

JUDGE CARMLEY ILL
Judge J. A. Carmley was carried to Enterprise hospital Monday where he is undergoing treatment for toxic poisoning. His daughter, Mrs. Josephine Kendrick, stated Tuesday morning that her father was responding satisfactorily to treatment and it is hoped he will recover in a short time.

GUN NOT LOADED
Tommy Thompson reports he and Lamar Hatten Jr. went out quail hunting Monday and saw five extra large coveys. He also saw more numerous than he has seen them for several years. But everything seemed to be working out wrong and the duo bagged only a small number of quail.

FOR RENT
Tommy said Mr. Rainer forgot to load his gun in one instance when a large covey got up and flew directly at him. Other times something else went wrong so the birds did not end up on the dinner plate.

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Advertising of Housing Bids Set for January

J. D. Smith, chairman of the Elba Housing project, reports he has received word that the project's arrangements have been completed and bids for construction of 20 units will be ready to be advertised in January.

The project is for the purpose of affording housing facilities for low-income families, both white and colored. Mr. Smith said the committee has been tentatively assured that the number of units will be increased eventually.

TB TALK HEARD AT LADIES NIGHT

A talk on the tuberculosis program in the Wiregrass was given before the Ladies Night meeting at the Elba school cafeteria Tuesday night.

Dinner music was furnished by a group of musicians from Camp Rucker. A soldier-musician, Bob Hoffman, also appeared. He is from New York.

Mrs. Alice Doughty, secretary of the Society for the Eradication of Tuberculosis in the Wiregrass, gave the talk on tuberculosis information on the sale of Christmas seals.

Six Lions were awarded the status of the club. They were Melvin Booser, Sam Casey, Frank Rainer, Wiley Stanford, Dr. E. M. Warr and Haywood Taylor.

Wiley Stanford, program chairman, reviewed activities and projects undertaken by the club the past year.

Boy Scouts Have Organizational Meeting

An organizational meeting of the Boy Scouts was held at the Elba school auditorium Monday night. There were 29 boys present.

Harvey Yarborough of the Dothan district office was present. Doyle Morrow was appointed unit leader and Ben Ringwood, named "Troop Guide."

One of the most enjoyable events of the season was the Fiddlers Convention held in the Elba school auditorium Wednesday night. A large audience witnessed the four contests consisting of: (1) fiddle alone; (2) fiddle and straw; (3) fiddle accompanied by one or more instruments; (4) stunts and feats.

Contributing prizes were Elba Bank & Trust Co., First National Bank, Edwards-Ham Mercantile Co., Clark, Elmore & Co., James Rubenstein, Clark & Patrick, Plankers Trading Co., Morrow Mercantile Co., Vaughn & Kendrick, Tucker Drug Co., Whitman's Pharmacy.

A. M. C. Bowen, representing the Moultrie Packing Company, Elba, Ga., shipped a car of hogs from Elba Wednesday. This car contained 103 head of hogs and brought approximately \$1,000.

Mr. Bowen informed the Clipper that a car of hogs was shipped from New Brockton the same day. Coffee County is now becoming a hog-raising county. It is estimated that about 20 car loads of hogs have been sent out this fall.

Nichols Club Has Best Attendance

A 4-H Neighborhood club led by Mrs. L. L. Hogan of Chandler, Route 1, led clubs in the county in number of meetings held, the County Extension Office reported. During the year, attendance totaled 534.

Mrs. Hogan holds the meetings in homes of members as well as her own home. Activities include preparation and presentation of a radio program over WIRB.

Eleven of the 40 clubs in the county report 45 meetings and a total attendance of 884.

Other neighborhood leaders who have sent in reports are Basin, Leroy Boutwell and Jeanette Cain; Upper Damascus, Carolyn Hudson; Chestnut Grove, Shirley Bullard and Roger Williams; Union, Billy Kelley and Betty Clark; Curtis and Mr. Zion Mrs. Jean Johnson and James Grimes; Danley's Cross Roads, Billy King; Goodman, Tommie Allen and Nichols, Ann LeCompte.

Firemen's Supper

At a meeting held Monday evening, Dooder Roberts, chairman of the firemen's program committee, reported that an appropriate entertainment has been arranged for the annual Fire Department supper for the cent below the 10-year average of 1,000,000 bales. The official 1952 goal called for 16,000,000 bales but needs have been revised downward.

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Eufaula Trips Tiger Cagers 58-46; Dothan Here Friday

The Elba Tiger basketball team opened the 1952 season in Eufaula Tuesday night, going down to defeat, 58-46. Coaches Frank Buckner and Perrino Gathers both stated they were well-pleased with the Tiger showing. It was Eufaula's fifth game and Elba's first.

In a defensive battle the Bulldogs put up an 18-9 edge in the first half but were outscored in the second part of the game. Goodwin's 14 points was high individual total for Kinross. Morgan matched it for Troy.

Scoring for Kinross were Howell 4, Smith 7, Goodwin 15, Perry 6, Richardson 8.

S. O. Parker Heads Basin Community

The Basin community meeting was held last Thursday evening and the group elected Mr. S. O. Parker as president for 1952.

L. B. Moody presided at the meeting where officers were selected. Vice-president is Mrs. L. B. Moody; secretary-treasurer, Peggy Weeks; song leader, Gus Farley; devotionist, Betty Sue Barlow; reporter, Jeanette Cain.

Named to plan the program for the year were Leroy Boutwell, L. B. Moody, Fred Meacham, Roy Barlow, Marvin Parker, Mrs. Bertie Cain.

Time for each meeting was set for the first Friday night in each month.

TB PROGRAM IS DEPENDENT ON SALE OF SEALS

Christmas Seals are big guns in the fight against TB, the most infectious killer in Coffee County, Alabama and in the nation.

"Have you bought yours yet?" asked John Brunson, chairman of the Seal Sale for Elba and the surrounding area.

The young Seal shows one little candle, a candle burning that someday TB will be knocked out. You can help keep that one little candle bright if you buy and use Christmas Seals.

Owned by F. Gene Clifton, who is sickened with the army at Camp Rucker, the little Spitz dog became ill the first of last week and refused to eat. A veterinarian diagnosed the trouble as just plain TB. The death rate from this disease has been down 85 per cent since the first seals were sold 45 years ago.

But tuberculosis still strikes down too many people. This sad fact is emphasized by medical leaders who long ago announced TB can be prevented.

Christmas Seals will do their part if given a chance. "Have you bought yours yet?"

DYESS FAMILY HOLDS REUNION

On Sunday, Dec. 7 the Dyess reunion was held at the home of Mr. & Mrs. C. C. Grant in Troy. After an hour of greeting and talking a spread was prepared and enjoyed by all.

Attending were Mr. & Mrs. G. P. Miles and Paul, Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Dyess and Joe Tom, Mr. & Mrs. Harold Dyess, Mr. & Mrs. Waylon Sharpless and Johnny, Mr. & Mrs. O. M. Dyess and sons, Mr. & Mrs. John Glenn Lee, Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Bryan and Mary Jo, Mr. & Mrs. Phil Engle and son, Mrs. Arley Johnson, Mr. & Mrs. Maxwell Reeves and sons, L. & Mrs. Hollman Taylor, Mr. & Mrs. John B. Johnson, Miss Rosa Deal, Mr. & Mrs. Frederick Howard & Shellah, Mr. & Mrs. C. O. Grant and Mr. & Mrs. Montgomery.

Next year the reunion will be held at the home of Mr. & Mrs. G. P. Miles in Elba.

Mr. & Mrs. W. T. Whitman Jr. and daughter, Beverly and Bob Stephens of Troy visited Mrs. Stanley Clark Sunday.

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Harper and daughter of DeFunct Springs, Fla. spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Ernest Harper.

Japanese Mining
In Japan, where coal is still mined by pick and shovel, a miner takes one month to produce the coal an American miner produces in a single day.

Odds About Ends
Both dogs and wolves wag their tails to express pleasure. Similarly, when they are afraid, both animals tuck their tails between their hind legs.

Rescue Grass the Ideal Plant For Winter Grazing in South

The fine texture and vigorous growth habits of Rescue grass make it the outstanding winter grazing plant for Southern soils. Its cold weather hardiness is exceeded by no other grass now being widely grown in Dixie.

Rescue is a heavy re-seeder and under normal conditions requires planting only once. The ability of this vigorous grass to grow on practically any soil type when properly fertilized and also in combination with other grazing plants has been proved by many plantings on outstanding farms, various state experiment stations and soil conservation nurseries.

Rescue is the ideal winter companion for crimson clover. Its early maturity makes possible earlier cutting of the summer plants necessary for year round grazing. Ideal combinations with Rescue include Coastal Bermuda, White Dutch,

Age of Wood
Adolph Hitler's "Thousand Year Reich" was to have been "the age of wood", and he called wood the material which can produce anything.

Without Permission
In Utrecht, The Netherlands, Pau Verra got a \$1.00 fine or a day in jail for living with his wife at her father's house without prior approval of the local housing authority.

As Reported in The Progressive Farmer
Rescue is ideal for controlling blight. Pasture authorities are of the opinion that Rescue in combination with summer legumes make more beef or milk per acre than any other grass for winter grazing.

For better germination, thicker stands and prevention of seed borne diseases, it is recommended that plantings be made only of seed that have been treated with approved disinfectants. In a field test conducted by DuPont, treated seed averaged a third greater yield and 23% thicker stand than untreated plantings. Yields of from 800 to 1,500 pounds of seed per acre are not uncommon.

Rescue grass should be planted immediately. Same dates as oats are practical, and germination may be expected in ten days to two weeks.

My Neighbors

By BILL PAULSON
"The only way the government could get any more tax money out of us... would be to pass a law to make us live longer!"

My Neighbors

By BILL PAULSON
"Watch your manners, Horace. You're acting as piggy as a tax collector!"

With so many persons away in the service or at school, she will always need a box of personal stationery.

THE DRUG STORE
FOR LAST MINUTE SHOPPING

Whitman's Chocolates
These quality candies make a hit with young and old alike. Whether it's mother, wife or sweetheart, this is appropriate.

Shaving Supplies
On our shelves you will find all the nationally advertised shaving lotions, creams and razors. These are made up in attractive kits for gifts.

THE BEST IN Prescription Service

Xmas Wrapped Christmas Wrapped:
Camels
Lucky Strikes
Phillip Morris
Chesterfields
Old Golds
Many Other Brands

Something he will use every day of the year is a bottle of shaving lotion or can of talc Put up in attractive gift cartons.

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When you give You give the Gift of a Lifetime!

JEWEL BOX
ELBA, ALABAMA

Elba Theatre
Program Dec 11 - 19

THE DAY THE EARTH STOOD STILL
OUT OF SPACE CAME A TERRIBLE MACHINE... to spread panic on the earth!

WHIP WILSON
ABILENE TRAIL
ANDY CLYDE

ROCKY HORROR SHOW
SUNDAY-MONDAY

WICKY ROONEY
Sound Off

THEY'RE SOLDIERS OF FORTUNE IN SEARCH OF ADVENTURE!
LANCELOT TEN TAIL MEN

WHEN THE REDSKINS RODE
A BORN SAGA OF AMERICA'S FRONTIER

News-Comedy

Shower Given for Frances Woodham

Misses Mary Johnson, Shirley McDavid and Ann Shearer were hostesses at a lingerie shower given in honor of Miss Frances Woodham, bride-elect of Lieut. James Ralph Johnson, Saturday afternoon, Nov. 28.

The Hanson reception room at Huntington College, Montgomery, was beautifully decorated. The table held a center arrangement of lavender chrysanthemums.

Upon arrival the guests presented the honoree with an assortment of lovely gifts. After the gifts were opened, a social hour was enjoyed with the hostesses serving coffee, candies and mixed nuts.

The bride-elect will leave for Japan around Feb. 1 to join her fiancée. The wedding will take place Feb. 3.

SUCCESSFUL OPERATION
John Burton Harper, student at API, Auburn, who was seriously injured in an automobile accident near Opelika several years ago while returning from the Georgia-Auburn football game, underwent a complicated operation at a Montgomery hospital Tuesday morning and is reported getting along nicely.

Miss Vivian Harper, his aunt, who went to Montgomery Tuesday, said Wednesday morning the operation was successful. On account of the numerous bone fractures John sustained, the operation required about two and one-half hours.

BACK ON JOB
Marvin Pardue is reported to have returned to his job as architect in Birmingham after undergoing treatment in a hospital there for a throat ailment.

Mr. Pardue, an Elba product, has made an outstanding record as an architect. He has been in charge of a number of construction jobs on large buildings in Birmingham, Tuscaloosa and other Alabama cities.

DIVIDE TRY-EM
A fish tale is being told of a local angler who caught a large fish and tied a string through its gills and dropped it back in the water. The fish broke the string and gained its freedom.

The next day another angler caught the fish, string and all, and when he showed it to the original catcher, the latter said, "That is the fish I caught yesterday." They agreed to divide the fish. Whereupon the first angler cut off the fish's head and gave it to the second.

SCHOOL DESK SLATE & BLACKBOARD

Learning is fun for the youngsters with this desk/blackboard combination. Has 11" x 15" writing surface. Colored quart, box of chalk, and eraser included. Easy fold-flat. Frame made of natural lacquered wood. 18 1/2" x 24 1/2" x 18 1/2". \$2.98

Kiddies' RECORD PLAYER

Children love this sturdy plastic record player. It plays real records up to 10". \$10.95

Trilby 3-FACE DOLL

Trilby is the most lifelike doll you've ever seen! Has three facial expressions—laughing, crying, sleeping. Also has lovely and soft, live-to-the-touch body. Beautifully dressed in lace, 20" tall. \$7.95

DUMP TRUCK, SHOVEL

This handsome 12" long all-steel dump truck provides hours of fun. Has life-dumping action. Shovel included. \$12.50

Wilson Official BASKETBALL

This high-quality rubber basketball is a gift the kids are sure to enjoy. Wet ground outdoors can't work it. Wet ground indoors can't work it. \$7.49

Doepke LA FRANCE PUMPER

This scale-model fire engine has detachable hose, bell, ladder, extinguishers, bright red finish. \$14.95

Children's 3-Piece FURNITURE SET

This sturdy constructed set with a table and two chairs is a real-time a pleasure for the children. Made of quality hard-wood. All surfaces rounded for safety. Has beautiful, natural 1 1/2" x 1 1/2" top, hard service. Table top 16" x 24" x 18" high. \$9.95

Marx 5-Unit PASSENGER STREAMLINER

It isn't really Christmas without an electric train under the tree. This realistic train set includes a locomotive, three passenger coaches, one observation coach, transformer, and 12 sections of track. Locomotive is the Diesel type with oil-lubricated bearings for long wear and clean operation. All units sturdily constructed of steel in accurate detail. Track measures 27" x 45", assembled. \$4.95

Tom Corbett SPACE SHIP

The young "Space Cadets" in your family will be delighted with this steel model of Tom Corbett's ship. Spring motor. Shoots sparks. \$1.98

Make it easy on YOURSELF...

USE OUR GOOD YEAR LAY-AWAY FOR XMAS PLAN

1 Select your gifts from our complete stock. Deposit as little as \$2 and we'll put your packages in our lay-away.

2 Use the weeks and months from now till Christmas to pay off the balance. Come in and pay a small amount each week if you wish.

3 On the day before Christmas your bills will be paid in full and your holiday packages will be ready for you in our lay-away.

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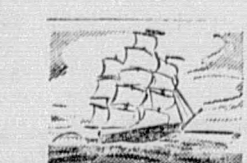
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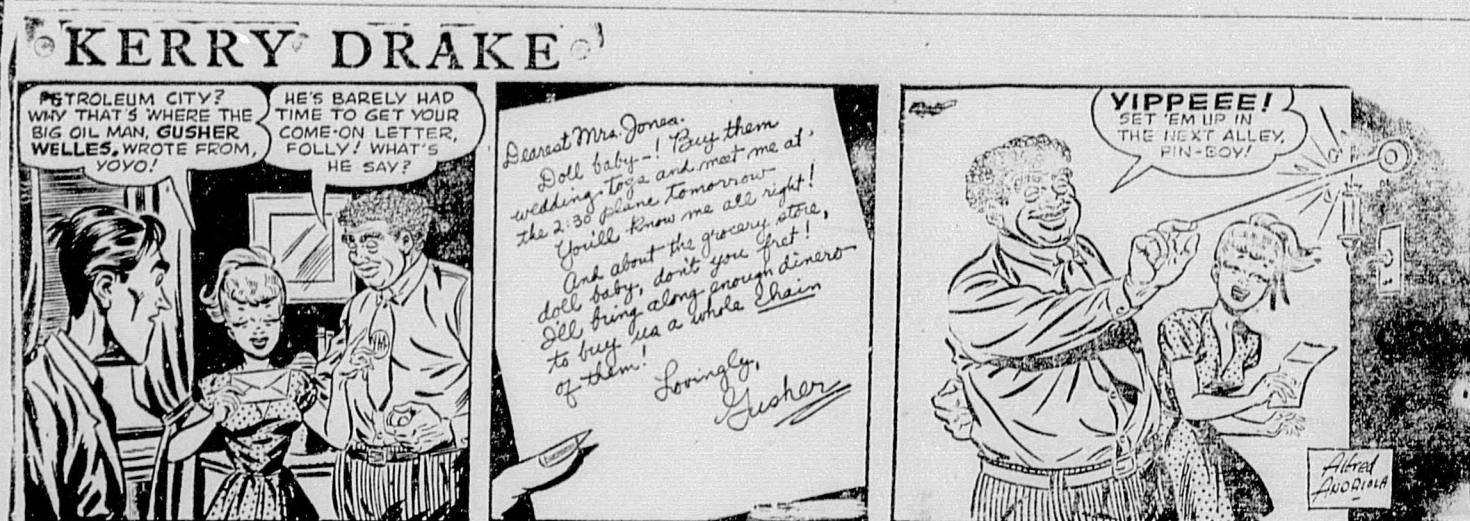
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The living room held a profusion of fall flowers. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. M. A. Owens.
Mrs. J. C. Fleming was leader for the afternoon and discussed the home of Mrs. Harris Murphy. She read a paper about the program a delicious party plate was served to 20 members.
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Cotton Loans Explained

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To get a warehouse storage loan it is necessary to have the cotton in an approved warehouse.

house. If the cotton has not been graded by the office in Montgomery, the warehouseman must mail them a sample. When the grading has been returned, ask your warehouseman to fill out CCC Form AA, sign and date. Then bring this form with receipts and grade cards to the PMA office or an approved lending agency.

Procedure to be followed on a farm loan is to make application at the PMA office. A representative of the county committee will inspect the warehouse and if it provides satisfactory protection will draw a sample and forward the sample to Montgomery for grading. As soon as these grades are received the loan can be closed at the PMA office and a draft issued.

Sullivan points out that these loans mature July 31, 1953. Interest at 3-1/2 per cent is due at the time the money is used and that all notes, receipts and other related papers are kept in the PMA office.

KINSTON NEWS

Mrs. J. E. Free and children went by plane to the Panama Canal Zone Nov. 29. Mr. Free accepted a position there with the C. A. A.

Master George T. Perry Jr. and Miss Susan Perry of Brewton spent last week with Mrs. M. D. Stigley, their grandmother.

Mrs. Retta Johnson and Orville of Elba Route, were guests of Mr. & Mrs. L. M. Goodson and Mrs. Emma Courson.

Friends of Colbert Anderson are glad to know that he is improving nicely.

Mrs. E. C. Sutherland is home after spending a lengthy visit in Mobile with Mr. & Mrs. R. C. Sutherland.

Mrs. George Gentry, Miss Betty Gentry and Jack Horton of Andalusia were supper guests of Mr. & Mrs. George Gentry in Greenville last Friday night.

They also attended the Beauty Pageant in which Miss Elizabeth Ann Gentry was a contestant.

Mrs. Clayton Bess is at present making her home here with her parents, Mr. & Mrs. W. L. Carnley. Mr. Bess was inducted into the army and was sent to Ft. Jackson, S. C. last week.

Fred Clark of the Air Force was here a short time last week enroute from San Antonio, Texas to Maxwell Field Montgomery.

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THE BIBLE SPEAKS

BY DR. KENNETH J. FOREMAN

SCRIPTURE: Matthew 14: 22-31

FEAR OR FAITH

Lesson for December 14, 1952

"FEAR was the first creator of Gods," wrote a long-ago Roman poet. This was more or less true of all religions he could have known about. It is also true of most religions around the world.

An ex-Buddhist who had once trained for the priesthood in his own religion, said of his childhood, "All I knew was that there were 800 gods and I was afraid of them all."

The characteristic feature of most religions is the appeasement of angry, capricious or vengeful gods. Sometimes the terror is with-out rhyme or reason, as in the case of the Buddhist boy just quoted. Sometimes the terror has a moral base and reason, as the great Greek poet Aeschylus portrays in his plays—the terrors of a man guilty conscience fleeing from the gods who do not forget nor forgive.

What Makes Men Afraid?

In Matthew's story we have illustrations of what men fear. Herod, for example, was a superstitious man. He was afraid of John the Baptist, and later afraid of Jesus because he thought he might be a savior.

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All "Or as the Psalmist said long before Shakespeare: "The wicked flee when no man pursueth."

Many of our fears would never exist if we had lived as we ought to have lived. Men live in fear of exposure, fear of blackmail, fear of failure and defeat, often through no one's fault but their own. Then the disciples too were afraid. They were not superstitious, they were not haunted by their sins, but they were afraid in the storm, they feared the wind and waves.

Why Christians Are Brave

Students of the Bible have discovered that the word "fear" is usually led to another word. Not "Fear" but "Love." Christianity is the religion of love: love to God, love to one's neighbor, love to one's self or kindly feeling, but active, self-forgetful love. There is no fear in love, but perfect love casteth out fear," as St. John said.

Old writers, commenting on the story of Peter's sinking in the sea, have said that if he had kept his mind on Jesus instead of on himself and on the storm-tossed waves, he would not have cried out, "I perish." Certain it is that when we are self-centered we are sure to be tormented with fear, for we are always thinking what may happen to us—and of course plenty can.

If we keep our minds on our work and on the fact that God is our Father, if we remember morning, noon and night that the God who "so loved the world that he gave his only begotten Son" is the same God who created this universe and controls it, then we shall not be scourged with fears.

Courageous Christians

It is a tremendous mistake to think that Christianity is only for rabidly people, for mice and not men. Christ does something for every person, it is true; he gives them out of themselves. Remember the long roll of the early Christian martyrs, very humble people most of them, who denied their Master; remember such saints as the missionaries who converted our own savage ancestors, at great peril to their own lives, yet not giving up. The ordinary Christian missionary has more to be afraid of than most of the rest of us have; yet he has less fear. He knows God too well.

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He also said the district faced a possible "permanent loss in enrollment," because some pupils were transferring to other schools and it was not known whether they would return to the Boonville school.

Opportunity Knocks Right in Home Town

LINDEN, Ala.—Teen-agers who feel like leaving their home towns to seek better fields of opportunity should consider how Buddy Perry planted a few tomato seeds and harvested opportunity in his own backyard.

The tomato seeds cost him 80 cents. The hotbed cost him nothing but a little labor—he built it of materials salvaged from dumps and heated it with manure obtained for the asking.

The tomato plants that the hotbed yielded he sold as fast as he could pick them. With the proceeds from the seeds he bought calves. From a small beginning, he has built a herd of four steers, three heifers and one cow.

That's a pretty fair realization from 80 cents, and we forgot to mention the two pigs he recently bought.

Young Perry goes to school and is a star pupil. Besides, he builds scenery for the school shows and spends his shop periods turning out tables, screens and other furniture.

G. I. Bill

For Korean Veterans

CARTHAGE, Ill.—A Korean veteran time-payment plan has been instituted by Carthage college in this community, according to a statement by Dr. Harold H. Lentz, president of the college.

The new payment plan is designed to help those veterans who wish to attend college under the new G. I. bill. Under the provisions of this new bill the veteran receives a specific monthly allotment from which he must pay the costs of books, tuition fees, board and room.

The World War II G. I. bill provided for tuition and other academic costs to be paid by the veterans' administration and the veteran also received a monthly subsistence allowance.

Hometown Observes Birth of 'Avionics' In Plane Industry

FARMINGDALE, N. Y.—This manufacturing community is well coming a bustling new baby in the house of science—an offspring of the wedding of electronics to aeronautics. Its name is "Avionics."

Dr. Kahn, the physicist, is the head of the new department of avionics at the Cornell University. He is the first to have headed a department of avionics in the world.

Some of the electronic devices which designers have developed are thinking of installing in jet planes are:

Electronic "feelers" to tell the pilot where the enemy is in the sky;

An electronic computer to tell him what course to fly to get there;

An automatic pilot to keep him on course;

A device that will signal automatically whether an approaching plane is friend or foe;

A radar gun sight to fire his machine guns when he's on target;

An electronic device to guide him home.

All of this equipment must be scientifically tailored-made for the plane it's in and the job it's to do. That's where avionics comes in.

'School's Out' When It Should Be In

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He also said the district faced a possible "permanent loss in enrollment," because some pupils were transferring to other schools and it was not known whether they would return to the Boonville school.

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New Holy Bible

Revised Version Available

SEVILLE, Ohio—This town joined with 3,000 hometowns recently in celebrating the new Revised Version of the Bible to be published by the Bible Society of America.

The local observance, sponsored by the Seville Ministers Association, was held at the Presbyterian church.

A presentation of the need for a new translation of the Bible, along with the values to be obtained by its use, was given by several persons who were chosen by the ministers' association received one of the new Bibles.

No Skeeters Pester Ormond Beach, Fla., After Experiments

ORMOND BEACH, Fla.—There are no mosquitoes left in this small village, reports Dr. Morton C. Kahn, Cornell University medical college professor.

Last spring, the insects were so bad in town that the residents dared venture outside only when it was necessary. Mayor Leo Foley and his parents predict it won't happen again. Dr. Kahn's experiments and involved the professor to help Ormond Beach rid itself of mosquitoes. Dr. Kahn promised to experiment.

Dr. Kahn took his assistants, says Alexander Kartveli, vice president and chief engineer of Republic Aviation Corporation. "Jet that human reflexes can't respond quickly enough. Think what the problem will be if we keep a 1,500-mile plane of the future."

Some of the electronic devices which designers have developed are thinking of installing in jet planes are:

Electronic "feelers" to tell the pilot where the enemy is in the sky;

An electronic computer to tell him what course to fly to get there;

An automatic pilot to keep him on course;

A device that will signal automatically whether an approaching plane is friend or foe;

A radar gun sight to fire his machine guns when he's on target;

An electronic device to guide him home.

All of this equipment must be scientifically tailored-made for the plane it's in and the job it's to do. That's where avionics comes in.

No Angel Over Little Girl's Grave

HURST GREEN, Eng.—"Little girls can't become angels," the Rev. Charles Godfrey Bell said so in a sermon recently. He began a debate which has stirred this village of 700.

The trouble began when the vicar objected to the erection of a marble angel over the grave of Kathleen Reese, 6, a Church of England official refused to permit the memorial, but citizens petitioned the Archbishop of Canterbury to sustain the faith of little children that they can become angels.

The vicar maintains that angels are a separate order of creation, and that man when he dies does not become an angel, but one of the family of God.

Angels are men worship to—gather, and often, particularly at Christmas time, they sing together. The Rev. Mr. Bell preached. Often, when a person is in difficulty, a guardian angel comes to his side, and may call to his assistance the archangels Gabriel, Michael and the rest, he said.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reese, the parents of little Kathleen who may have no angel over her grave unless the archbishop overrules the vicar, were not satisfied with the clergyman's explanation.

It is not a question of whether there are angels," said Reese. "The point is that a little girl had been taught to believe in them, and did believe in them."

The parents said they had letters from sympathizers all over the country who believe that Kathleen should have an angel over her grave.

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Bells Crossing

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF SALE
Pursuant to a decree of the Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, Elba Division, in the matter of the estate of J. R. Spurlin, deceased, the undersigned Administratrix will offer for sale to the highest and best bidder for cash in front of the courthouse door at Elba, Alabama, within the legal hours of 10:00 a. m. to 4:00 p. m., on Saturday, 20 December, 1952, the following parcels of real estate of J. R. Spurlin, deceased, to-wit:

(1) All that portion of W 1/2 of NW 1/4 and all of the NW 1/4 of Southeast 1/4, lying East of the Elba-Victoria Road in Section 27, Township 6, Range 20, in Coffee County, Alabama, containing 63 acres, more or less, known as the F. S. A. place.

(2) Also the W 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of Section 33, Township 6, Range 20 in Coffee County, Alabama, containing 80 acres, more or less, known as the hemlock place. Said tracts will be sold separately.

Said sale of land is for the purpose of providing funds for the payment of debts of the decedent and for other lawful purposes.

The 22nd day of November, 1952.

Mrs. Nora B. Spurlin
As Administratrix of J. R. Spurlin, deceased.

Project No. SACF-7193-A & B
Coffee County, Alabama
Sealed bids will be received by the State Highway Director at the office of the State Highway Department, Montgomery, Alabama, until 10:00 o'clock A. M., December 19, 1952, and at that time publicly opened for constructing the Base and Bituminous Treatments on the County Road from Damascus to New

Brooklyn. Length—7.161 miles. The entire project shall be completed in eighty (80) working days.

Five per cent of bid made payable to the Alabama State Highway Department must accompany each bid as evidence of good faith.

Plans and Specifications are on file in the office of the State

Highway Department at Montgomery 4, Alabama.
Plans, proposals and specifications may be obtained only upon payment of a deposit of ten dollars (\$10.00) made payable to the Alabama State Highway Department. In accordance with Section 12 of Act No. 492, December 19, 1929, and the 1947 Legislature of Alabama, proposals will be issued only to qualified contractors or their authorized representatives, upon requests that are received before ten o'clock A. M., on the day previous to the day of opening of bids.

The right to reject any or all bids is reserved.

W. G. PRUETT, Highway Director.

Dec. 4-18

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Schedule of Coming Events
BASKETBALL SCHEDULES

ELBA	KINSTON
Dec. 12—Dothan here	Dec. 12—Georgiana there
Dec. 13—Enterprise here	Dec. 13—Stratford here
Dec. 14—Andalusia here	Dec. 14—Pleasant Home there
Jan. 2—Troy there	Jan. 2—Eufaula there
Jan. 6—Kinston there	Jan. 6—Elba here
Jan. 9—Andalusia there	Jan. 9—Georgiana here
Jan. 13—Eufaula here	Jan. 23—Elba there
Jan. 16—Brookton there	Jan. 30—Dothan here
Jan. 20—Laverne there	Feb. 6—Opp here
Jan. 23—Kinston here	Feb. 10—Enterprise there
Jan. 30—Laverne here	Feb. 13—Eufaula here
Jan. 27—Opp there	Feb. 17—Opp there
Feb. 3—Dothan there	Feb. 20—Stratford here
Feb. 6—Troy here	Feb. 27—Dothan there
Feb. 13—Brookton here	JAYCEE XMAS DANCE
Feb. 21—Greenville here	Friday, Dec. 19, 9:30 PM
Feb. 24—Opp here	Elba School Gym
Feb. 27—Enterprise there	
Jan. 20—Laverne there	

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Elba High School News

BY CELIA ENGLISH
High School Editor

On Dec. 3, Mrs. Crooks fourth grade gave a Christmas assembly program. It was made up of Henri Ann Dorsey, Malcom a tap dance by Henri Ann Dorsey, reading, "Learning a Piece" by Gary Hudson, play, "Rudolph's Nose Trouble" by Shirley Maudlin, Helen Pope, Bert Roberts, Linda Seymour, Margie Smith, Polly Thomas, Jean Calhoun, Shirley Johnson and Vera Catlett.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL
This year for the first time girls have taken an interest in basketball and other girls' sports. Miss Jean Benton, physical education teacher is promoting it.

The girls in each class in high school have chosen a team, captain and co-captain and plan to play in a tournament starting Tuesday night, Dec. 9. There will be one game each night. Dec. 9 — Jr. I & Jr. II
Dec. 10 — Jr. III vs winners Jan. 8 — Sr. I & Sr. II
Jan. 15 — Sr. III play winners

Captains of each team are for Jr. I—Judy Larkins and Frances Morrow; Jr. II—Inez Rowell and Linda Smith; Jr. III—Betty Harris and Evelyn Mathews; Sr. I—Celia English and Christine Wilson; Sr. II—Mary Ann Clark and Ann Mills; Sr. III—Betty Boland and Pauline Wise.

Officials who will come from the class are: first game, Mary Ann Clark and Jean Benton; second game, Elaine Crook and Jean Benton; third game, Joan Hudson and Jean Benton; last game, Celia English, Jean Benton and the plus ed teacher from Troy State Teachers.

JUNIOR BASKETBALL
This year Mrs. J. W. Kendall ball team has started out in a

big way. Most of the team members are boys that played last year. They are Jimmy Bryan, Timmy Dyeas (2nd year), Fred Tillman (2nd year), Mark Wise (2nd year), Donald Bowdoin, Charles Clark (2nd year), Richard (2nd year), and Robert Cain.

MRS. HARPER AWAY
Mrs. Fred Harper's fifth grade class is missing her while she is away from school. He has had an operation and is recovering from being injured in an auto wreck. Mrs. Gethard Pinckard is teaching the fifth grade in Mrs. Harper's absence.

BAND CONCERT
The Elba High School band is going to give its annual Christmas Concert, Thursday, Dec. 11, at the school auditorium. Admission will be 50c and 25c. It will begin at 7:30 o'clock in the evening under the direction of James Patrenos.

The program calls for popular, classical, overtures, Christmas music raised will be put in the treasury of the band for uniform repairs, band instruments and music.

BETA CLUB BANQUET
The Elba Beta Club had its Annual Beta Club Banquet Dec. 5. Bert English gave the welcome and Miss Zedie Rowe the response. Dot Bowers sang a solo and Laverne Perkins gave a piano solo.

Andy Kimmy introduced the speaker, Patterson Hicks, state representative for the National Beta Club from Clanton.

The menu was grapefruit cocktail, turkey, dressing, giblet gravy, sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, creamed English peas, colla, cherry pie and whipped cream and coffee.

Faculty and board members present were Mrs. J. W. Kendall, Dr. & Mrs. J. M. Kimmy, Mr. & Mrs. L. P. Mullins, Mr. &

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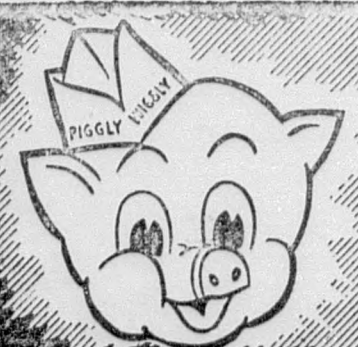
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Diced 8 oz Pkg. CITRON	33c	DRY PACK STANDARD OYSTERS	PINT	69c	
Diced 8 oz Pkg. MIXED FRUIT	37c	FRESH GROUND BEEF	lb	49c	
WALNUTS	lb	43c	MULLET	lb	15c
MIXED NUTS	lb	57c	ORIOLE SLICED BACON	lb	39c
Blue Diamond 6 oz Can Shelled Almonds	43c	ROAST SAUSAGE	lb	33c	
Brazil Nuts	lb	53c	Fr. Pork Shoulder	lb	39c
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LOST
Three-year-old cow Wednesday morning. Weight 450 pounds. Between Elba and Wemblers, Rt. 1. Reasonable reward. 2p Dec. 11-18

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I will pay highest prices for hay and corn. I am equipped to grind and mix pure cane molasses with all kinds of feed. Elba Milling Co., W. W. Meek 21p Dec. 11-18

FOR SALE
1952 Ford Tractor and equipment. Only farmed 40 acres this year. See J. F. Owen, 11 miles north of Luverne, near Bodin's pool. 2p Dec. 11-18

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GOODMAN BARBECUE
There will be a church barbecue Saturday, Dec. 13 at 6 P. M. at Goodman Baptist church. The public is invited.

MISS LAURIE CAIN who teaches in the Tallapoosa Public school is recuperating at her home in Basin community after a long illness in a Birmingham hospital. She will resume her duties as a teacher after the Christmas holidays.

MARRIAGE LICENSE
A marriage license was issued by the Elba probate office to George M. Cobb, 34, Chancellor Rt. 1 and Miss Doris F. Blackshear, 27, Midland City.

SARA F. CURENTON
Miss Sara F. Curenton, 36, died Wednesday morning, Dec. 10, at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. L. Martin, in Elba, following a brief illness. She had been an invalid for several years. Surviving are three children: Mrs. W. C. Head, Ozark; Mrs. Mamie Scott, Glencoe and Mrs. R. L. Martin, Elba; and a brother, Mrs. L. P. and L. C. Curenton, both of Enterprise and Roy Curenton, Akron, Ohio.

FIRST HAND FREEZE
The first hand freeze of the season arrived Monday and Tuesday mornings. Thermometers in this vicinity added to a chilly 20 Monday with a high of 44. Tuesday a low of 24 was the coldest recorded here since last Jan. 30. Many pipes and hydrants were reported frozen but no pipes burst. Warmer weather is predicted.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors for their words of sympathy, floral offerings, during our recent bereavement. We pray God's richest blessings upon each of you.
Mr. & Mrs. A. Bradley
Mrs. Martha Mason & Family
Mrs. & Mrs. Alford Floyd and family.

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CECIL Drive-In
Highway 84—Murray—Enterprise and New Brockton
PROGRAM FOR THE WEEK

Thurs.-Fri., Dec 11-12	Sun.-Mon., Dec. 14-15
Lorna Doone	BLUE BLOOD
Barbara Hale	Bill Williams
Richard Greene	Jane Nigh
Saturday, December 13	Tues.-Wed., Dec. 16-17
Pistol Packin' Mama	NO SAD SONGS FOR ME
ALL STAR CAST	Wendell Corey
ALSO	Margaret Sullivan
The Missourians	Thurs.-Fri., Dec. 18-19
Monte Hale	MMET ME
Paul Hurst	After the Show
	Betty Grable
	MacDonald Carey

NED D. JONES
Aboard the USS LST 975 in the far East is Ned D. Jones, commissaryman third class, USN, son of Mr. & Mrs. J. C. Jones of Route 2, Elba.

The LST was engaged in taking Chinese and North Korean prisoners-of-war from Pusan to the island camp of Koro Do. In eight days the ship carried over 15,000 prisoners.

TIGERS LOSE TO ENTERPRISE
Elba's cagers lost to the Enterprise Wildcats Tuesday night on the Tiger court by a 47-42 count. The Tigers scored 14 points to 12 for Enterprise in the first quarter but trailed 26-25 at the half. The Wildcats made a field day in the third period as they outscored Elba, 20-6. They coasted through the final period as Elba made 11 points to their 5.

Inability to make free throws was a contributing factor to the Tiger loss. Inexperience also hurt the local team.

Scoring for Elba were B. Hudson 12, T. Hudson 11, Powell 5 and Reeves 1.

The Bees defeated Enterprise's second string 33-27. For Elba Smith scored 6 points, Hudson 12, Cain 5, Crocker 8, Davidson 3, McDavid 2 and Davis 4.

BASKETBALL—DOTHAN
Elba opened the 1952-53 basketball season Friday night here by taking a 63-49 whipping at the hands of Dothan. The Bees won their game 29-25.

During the first two periods Elba held a slight edge over the Dothan quintet, leading 29-25 at the half. But Dothan came roaring back in the second period of the game. In the third period they scored 20 points to the local 10 and in the final stanza added 13 points more while holding Elba to 11.

Scoring for Elba were B. Hudson 16, T. Hudson 13, Donaldson 1, Reeves 3, Powell 6 and Price 8.

The Elba Bees led all the way but the margin was always a slim one.

WALTER BARBILLO who occupies rooms in the home of Mrs. Jones in West Elba, had the thrilling experience of being robbed by a burglar one night last week but fortunately the robber was scared away before getting anything.

Mr. Barbillo was awakened when the intruder slipped his hand into his pocket and took a live. A scuffle ensued. They fought all over the dark room and into

About People and Things

By C. B. McDowell

BAPTIST CANTATA SUNDAY

The Baptist Youth Choir under direction of Mrs. George Lader Cantata Sunday night at 7 o'clock. The Methodist church has called off its evening service in order to attend. The Baptist church did the same thing last week for the Methodist cantata.

LOCAL COMMUNITIES

TAKING ALL THE HAY
The hay harvest is well advanced in this vicinity. The hay is being taken all the way from the fields to the stacks. The hay is being taken all the way from the fields to the stacks.

OUR TAX DOLLARS

The big cities won't offer much more in the way of entertainment and fun than can be found in Elba Friday night.

37 Years Ago in Elba

By C. B. McDowell

"Meat will be a rarity before the war ends with its grain supplies," said Henry J. Williamson, government statistician in the Department of Agriculture. "The number of cattle has diminished and the population increased progressively for many years until now they are too widely divergent to hope to get a full supply for at least ten years."

CECIL Drive-In

Highway 84—Murray—Enterprise and New Brockton

PROGRAM FOR THE WEEK

Thurs.-Fri., Dec 11-12

Sun.-Mon., Dec. 14-15

Lorna Doone

Barbara Hale

Richard Greene

Saturday, December 13

Pistol Packin' Mama

ALL STAR CAST

ALSO

The Missourians

Monte Hale

Paul Hurst

Sunday, December 14

Blue Blood

Bill Williams

Jane Nigh

Tuesday, December 16

No Sad Songs for Me

Wendell Corey

Margaret Sullivan

Wednesday, December 17

Met Me

After the Show

Betty Grable

MacDonald Carey

Thursday, December 18

Met Me

After the Show

Betty Grable

MacDonald Carey

Friday, December 19

Met Me

After the Show

Betty Grable

MacDonald Carey

Saturday, December 20

Met Me

After the Show

Betty Grable

MacDonald Carey

Sunday, December 21

Met Me

After the Show

Betty Grable

MacDonald Carey

Monday, December 22

Met Me

After the Show

Betty Grable

MacDonald Carey

Tuesday, December 23

Met Me

After the Show

Betty Grable

MacDonald Carey

Wednesday, December 24

Met Me

After the Show

Betty Grable

MacDonald Carey

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Council Adopts New License Schedule

A revised license schedule for merchants doing business in Elba went into effect Monday night when the city council approved a ten-page ordinance governing the imposition and collection of these fees.

Generally the new statute reduces a tax of \$25 on a firm for the first \$10,000 worth of gross business it does and then collects one-eighth of one percent of the gross up to \$200,000. One-tenth of one percent is taken after \$200,000.

For example, a grocery, drug, hardware or restaurant doing a yearly gross of \$200,000 would pay \$25 plus one-eighth of one percent on the remaining \$180,000 or \$32.50. This makes the total license tax \$57.50.

Automobile agencies and garages selling parts fall under a slightly different set-up. They will pay an automobile work and repair shop license of \$50 in addition to the retailers license of \$25 for the first \$10,000 worth of business and one-eighth of one percent of gross over \$10,000.

Filing status selling tires and auto accessories also come under a dual license. They must pay a \$35 fee plus the regular retailer's license.

BASED ON SALES TAX
Licenses paid shall be based upon gross sales as reflected by Alabama Sales Tax returns made to the State Department of Revenue for the preceding city license year. In other words, by adding up the gross amount of business reported for sales tax.

Since gasoline and labor for repair work are not reported for sales tax, filling stations and garages will not have to include this as part of their gross for city tax purposes.

Generally, license fees for doctors, lawyers, shop and other service establishments such as dry cleaners were not changed.

To protect merchants doing business and paying taxes in Elba, a license fee of \$1,000 was levied against persons selling on auction from the auction of any vehicle. A fee of \$2,500 was levied on persons selling merchandise at auction at a live-

Jaycee Dance Tops Night of Play for Elba

The big cities won't offer much more in the way of entertainment and fun than can be found in Elba Friday night.

KINSTON TURNS OUT ANOTHER FINE QUINTET

Faced with a complete rebuilding job on this year's edition of the Kinston Building game, Coach Bryant Steele appears to have hurried a difficult job and has his men pointed toward another second district Class "AA" title. His charges won seven of their first eight games.

New Solicitor Will Make His Home in Elba

Lewey Stephens Jr., New Brockton attorney, has been appointed to fill the unexpired term of Solicitor Eric Paul who was elected to the circuit judge post in recent elections. The term expires on Jan. 1, 1953.

22 Baskets for Needy Will Be Distributed

Christmas baskets, the dance Friday night and a turkey shoot Saturday afternoon were discussed by the Jaycees at their regular meeting in the Masonic Hall Tuesday night.

Christmas Doll Is Untrouced in Blaze

Charles sometimes takes a queer turn as it did in the fire Monday that destroyed the house occupied by J. H. Williams in Blackmon quarters.

House Levelled by Fire on Monday

A dwelling house belonging to General W. Blackmon in Blackmon quarters, occupied by John H. Williams and family, was destroyed by fire Monday morning at 9 o'clock. The fire started in a rooming house and spread to the dwelling.

Large Crowd Hears Cantata At Methodist Church Sunday

An audience which filled the Elba Methodist church quitted Sunday night. It was given by the church choir under the direction of Mrs. Edwin Cooper.

Prompt Reporting of Fire Is Necessary

Turning in a fire alarm right after the fire is discovered is important. Fire Chief Flourey Whitman said Monday.

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